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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Choosing a competitive provider allows me to vote with my dollar. Having more competitive providers raises quality, innovation, and choice.

Without a local broadband provider option, you are restricting choice, killing jobs (and for those who use internet access for homes and businesses), and stifling innovation. If the cost of entry to internet is too high, less people get access to resources which kills our competitive advantage as a country through education and entrepreneurship.

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